

To our Readers

By way of explanation, we would like to say that the abbreviated edition of the Times this week is due to the editor being summoned on the petit jury in the Federal Court and has to make a trip to the settlement. How long he will have to stay in Charleston is only a matter of conjecture, and as he is a type setter, printer and general handy man about this office, the paper will continue to be worse than usual until he returns.

John S. Campbell, of Covington was in Marlinton Saturday.

Dr. Marshall, of Gladly, was in town Saturday.

H. J. Willmoth is visiting his family at Myersdale, Pa.

Mrs. J. D. Pope is at the home of her father, G. W. Whiting, at Rankin.

Mrs. H. Kee, of Dublevie, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. D. McNeill.

Mrs. Lillie B. Lockridge and Mrs. Lanty Herold were in Marlinton Friday.

W. H. Darst, State Tax Commissioner, was in Marlinton Saturday on business.

Miss Mary J. Gabbert, of Huntersville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Barnes, on Tannery Row.

Mr. Rippetoe, of the carpenter force, has his crew painting the Knapps Creek bridge this week.

An ice cream supper was given at the Ashcraft restaurant Friday night for the benefit of the baseball team.

The State Convention of the Christian Endeavor Society of West Virginia meets in Wheeling July 10 to 14.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Richardson and Squire George Richardson are at their old home on Jacksons River in Bath county.

Mrs. Eskle, of Bolar, Virginia, and her great grandson, little Frank Eskle, the son of our jeweler, came to see us on printing day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris D. Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin W. Price, James Gibson, Amos Barlow, R. W. Hill and Andrew Price are in Charleston this week.

Miss Nora Wood has left the Marlinton Hospital and gone to her home in Clifton Forge. Her place has been taken by Miss Kincaid, sister of F. H. Kincaid.

John S. Moore finished his first month of the Clawson school Friday. He reports 17 scholars enrolled. This is Mr. Moore third session of school this year.

Mrs. W. B. Sharp, of Bristol, Tenn., is at her home of her parents in Marlinton. She was accompanied by her father, B. M. Yeager, who has been in the South for some months.

G. B. Fisher, of Flatwoods, Braxton County, a brother of Jake Fisher, one of our State Senators, was in Marlinton last week. He is a merchant, farmer and extensive dealer in live stock.

Miss Mary Blavin, of Meadow Dale, Highland County, a grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson, of Marlinton, is dangerously ill in a hospital in Richmond, where she has undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Huntington has been in the throes of a suicidal craze. In eight days there were six attempts at self destruction, four of whom accomplished their purpose. In five cases the disease employed was carbolic acid.

At the election to incorporate Durbin Saturday, the vote stood 40 for to 17 against incorporation. The petition to incorporate will be presented to Judge Bennett at next court.

Mrs. Andrew Price went to the Levels Saturday to see her father, Alvin Clark, who is seriously ill.

A very light vote was polled at the district election in Marlinton on the question of having an eight months school here. The vote stood 61 for and 3 against.

Died at the home of her son-in-law, W. W. Kenison, Mrs. Myron Hill, Thursday, May 31, 1906 in her eightieth year, of measles. She is the relict of the late Aaron Hill and is survived by a number of children and grand children. Her maiden name was Jordan.

Messrs. Geo. H. McLaughlin of Marlinton, and Isaac Barlow of Huntersville, W. Va., while on their way to Roanoke on a business trip stopped over from Monday evening until Tuesday morning in Covington.—Covington Sentinel.

Watoga is the new town at the crossing of the Greenbrier above Seebert. The Droney Lumber Company is building it, and it is to be one of the numerous well arranged sawmill towns which have sprung as by magic all along the line of the Greenbrier and Coal & Iron Railways.

W. A. Bratton, Esq., a prominent attorney of Marlinton, W. Va., stopped over in Sisson for a day this week on his way back from Baltimore where he had gone to see his wife who is in a hospital there, but who is much improved. Mr. Bratton has lately played a conspicuous part in some very large timber deals recently consummated in Pocahontas county, the most recent being the Dublevie deal, which was \$700,000.—Stanton Spectator.

Two medals came to Pocahontas from the Lewisburg schools this year, and both go to the same family, that of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beard, of Academy. Miss Mary Beard was awarded a medal in the collegiate department of the Lewisburg Female Institute for attendance and Sherman Beard carried off the Scholarship at the Greenbrier Presbyterian school. Grady Holt and Forrest Pritchard, two other Pocahontas boys received honorable mention as well.

A new rule of the postoffice department reads thus: On and after July 1, 1906 patrons of the rural delivery service will be required to display signs on their boxes when they leave mail in them for carriers to collect, as after that date carriers when serving their routes will not be required to open and examine any mail boxes except those to which they have mail to deliver and those on which signals are displayed to indicate there is mail for carriers to collect.

Our collection of curios has been added to by the loan of a fine piece of Indian bead work in the shape of a very gaudy waist coat, and the well tanned hide of a Texas alligator. They belong to M. L. Johnson, of the Greenbrier Annex, who got them while in the West some years since. The gator hide is some eight feet in length and about a foot broad, being the softer belly skin of the reptile, as the scaly back is too tough to be of any service.

The following Pocahontas people were registered in Ronceverte hotels last week: A. W. Arbogast Mrs. L. L. Danmore, W. A. Bratton, A. D. Williams, John Alexander, G. D. McNeill, Mrs. W. B. Sharp, B. M. Yeager, L. M. McClintock, J. H. G. Wilson, Marlinton; M. P., H. I., and M. E. Moore, Stony Bottom, H. E. Nixon, Clover Lick; S. B. Nethkin, Dr. U. H. Hays and sister, Cass; R. W. Hill and E. H. Moore, Academy; George S. Hull, Durbin.

Notice
We have bought the books of Marlinton Furniture Co., and all parties owing anything will please arrange same with us.
Nickell Miller Furniture Co.

Democratic Mass Meeting

A Democratic Mass Meeting is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Marlinton on the 19th day of June, 1906, first day of June Court, at 1 p. m. to select delegates to the Senatorial and Congressional Conventions. Every Democratic voter present will be entitled to a vote in this mass meeting.

T. S. McNEEL,
Chairman County Executive Committee

After C. O. D. Liquor

On Tuesday last J. E. Bane, express agent at this place, and other express agents in the county were notified by Sheriff Moore that Judge Wilkinson had decreed that the C. O. D. whiskey business in Logan county must come to an end, and at once, a proviso being inserted in the notice that if the demand was complied with no note of former offense would be made.

Every agent of the express company promptly wired his resignation to the company, to take effect at once in case they were required to handle any more C. O. D. whiskey packages, and the action of the express company in the matter will be anxiously awaited by the public at large.—Logan Banner.

Pocahontas is beginning to put on city airs. Last Sunday there was a game of ball at Durbin and the Sunday of this week saw another game at Edrey. While we do not wish to be narrow nor inflict needless hardship on those who do not think as we do, yet we do deplore this (to us) desecration of the day which from time immemorial has been set apart as holy unto the Lord. In form at least the South has ever observed the Sabbath, while in the North and West it has been made, in a large measure, the same as other days. Whether our observance has been altogether in keeping with the spirit of the day we doubt exceedingly. No doubt we do evidence to it weekly in thought word and deed, but this deliberate desecration is rather shocking to those who have been brought up by the rule of the Ten Commandments to remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.

From Bath Enterprise

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. John Shelton to Miss Annie Kellison will take place to day Wednesday at the home of the bride near Mt. Grove, Rev. Wm. C. White will perform the ceremony.

A phone message was received by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gann, Sunday, announcing the death of their grandson, Mr. Harper Matheny, at Bartow, W. Va. Mr. Jno. E. Gann and Mrs. Gann Gann, Mrs. S. J. Smith and Mr. A. J. Garing attended the burial near Mill Gap, Highland county, on Monday.

Mr. Wm. J. Pritchard, with his two children, Master Glenn and little Miss Margaret, of Dunmore, W. Va., are visiting relatives and acquaintances in this neighborhood this week. Mr. Pritchard was a former resident of this place and has many warm friends who are glad to see him with them again.

Death of a Young Man

Mr. Harper Matheny, son of our former Highland man, Mr. M. E. Matheny, died on Sunday evening at his home at Bartow. Death resulted from typhoid fever. He was about 17 years old, and, a few weeks ago, was in Monterey.

Mr. Matheny has had many afflictions since going to Greenbrier, and his Highland friends sympathize with him.

The remains of the young man were brought to Naples this county for burial Tuesday last.—Highland Recorder.

Flour and Feed

I have taken charge of the Dunmore Mill at Dunmore, and am prepared to do custom grinding, and have in stock at all times burr ground, domestic corn table meal. We buy grain in carload lots and are prepared to give the closest prices on ground feed and flour. Let me have the opportunity of giving you quotations.
W. J. Fritchard,
Dunmore, W. Va.

Town Council

At a meeting of the Town Council, there were present, T. S. McNeel, Mayor, Calvin W. Price, Recorder, E. D. King, J. V. Knight, N. C. McNeil and R. M. Beard, Councilmen.

The appointment of B. F. Willis as Chief of the fire department confirmed, and the rules and regulations recommended by the department accepted.

N. C. McNeil, Calvin W. Price and J. V. Knight appointed a committee to draft ordinance relative to any interference or hindrance of fireman in the discharge of their duty.

Hiner & Beverage, Johnson & Humphrey, Woodley, and O. J. Richardson granted license to sell tobacco and cigars.

The following accounts were allowed:

- Paris D. Yeager, freight, \$10.73.
- R. Barnes, labor, \$3.75.
- Calvin W. Price, printing and publishing, 15.35.
- T. S. McNeel, assignee, poll books, 1.
- W. A. Eskridge, jailor, 13.05.
- Bill Harrington, hauling, 1.
- J. P. Rorke, labor, 12.82.
- Orie Johnson, labor, 6.
- Chas. Evans, labor, 18.75.
- Grant Johnson, labor, 4.75.
- Paris D. Yeager, salary, 50.

The street commissioner is ordered to construct a cement walk a distance of 43 feet from the railway track to C. J. Richardson's store, provided that said C. J. Richardson will construct a like walk in front of his store. The walk to be seven feet broad, to have a foundation 12 inches deep and to be put on the grade established for walks.

It is ordered that the street commissioner clean the old State bridge at once.

It is ordered that the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company be notified to fill up the ditch on their right of way from Eighth Street to the crossing at Ninth Street, near the Temporary Court House building. Also that they immediately put the privy at the depot in sanitary condition.

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NEW FIRM NEW STOCK NEW LINES

We have bought out M. C. Hogsett, and are cleaning up and refitting. We pander especially to the family trade and it is our intention to have a store a lady will not mind entering at any time.

FREE DELIVERY

Our phone is No 21, and we deliver promptly all purchases by phone or otherwise.

Besides fruit, vegetables, staple and fancy groceries, we will carry in the stock Hedley's and Lowrey's Chocolates.

Asking a share of your patronage, we are,

Yours respectfully,
Johnston & Humphrey.

Sheriff's Sale

Pursuant to an execution and order of sale issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, in the case of G. W. Burns vs. W. V. Scott, I will on

June 23rd 1906
between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in the town of Seebert, in said county for cash, the following property of W. V. Scott:

One steam engine, No. 1825, and one Geiser sawmill, with all attachments. Said property sold subject to the lien of Orwig and Knyder amounting to \$390 and interest.

J. S. McNEEL,
Sheriff of Pocahontas County.
By SAMUEL SHEETS, Deputy.

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Its graceful lines satisfy the person of taste and fashion. Its comfort satisfies everybody who wears it. Its strength and substance—the wearing qualities, gratify the most exacting shoebuyer.

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We invite you to look, to try and leave the purchase to your pleasure.

PAUL GOLDEN,

Sheriff's Sale of Timber AUCTION SALE OF HORSES AND LIVERY OUTFIT

Tuesday, June 19, 1906.

I will sell by the way of public auction on the first day of circuit court, at the McLaughlin stables, in Marlinton, the following described horses and property,

- 1 good work team, 6 years old.
- 1 pair of dan mares, matches, 5 years old
- 1 pair of iron grey horses, 5 and 6 years old
- 1 bay mare, 7 years old
- 1 black mare, 8 years old
- 1 surrey, new
- 1 three-seated hack
- 5 buggies
- 5 set of double driving harness
- 6 set of single driving harness
- 3 Wilburn saddles.

And other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS:—All sums of five dollars and under cash. Over the amount, six months time will be given, secured by negotiable note with approved endorser.

Sale begins at 11 o'clock in order to give people coming in on the uptrain an opportunity of attending.

The reason of making the sale, is that the owner's health demands his going into other business.

Wm GIBSON,
Sweeper Auctioneer

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But what we do want is the business of Pocahontas County People in HARDWARE and FURNITURE

Goods by Train Load

We are now Receiving Ten Solid Carloads Including—
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We are doing our level best to give you a store that will be a credit your county and town, and one in which you can get what you want at the right price.

For your generous support in the past, we thank you, and for the future, earnestly solicit your undivided support.
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